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In re the application of:

Jeffrey A. Colborn et al.

Application No.: 10/058,23

Filed: October 19, 2001

For: **METHODS OF USING FUEL CELL  
SYSTEM CONFIGURED TO PROVIDE  
POWER TO ONE OR MORE LOADS**



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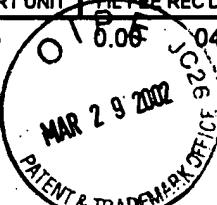
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$494.
  - \$270 for 30 total claims over 20.
  - \$84 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
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